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CURRENT COMMENT.

One of the most unique unions in the country is the Women Butchers' union.

It is expected that the Iron Molders' Union of North America will succeed in establishing a nine-hour workday for the craft from the first of next January throughout the United States.

Prolonged idleness among Indiana tinplate workers has been productive of the formation of a co-operative company of the workers at Gas City, who will locate a plant near Los Angeles, Cal.

Of the 1,148 unions making returns to the secretary of the American Federation of Labor for September on the state of trade there were 1.8 per cent. of membership out of employment. The aggregate membership was 68,604. In August, out of a total membership of 96,597 reported 1.5 per cent. were unemployed.

Mr. Morgan is understood to marvel greatly at the public distrust of the steel trust shares. It is strange—strange that people should be reluctant to put their money into a corporation which employs a lunatic at a salary of \$1,000,000 per year to furnish sensational reading matter for the civilized world.

There appears to be only one way in which to treat the Doughboys, and that is not to treat them at all. Let them walk the frezzy out, and let them go hungry until they have an appetite for wholesome victuals. You can't interfere with religious enthusiasm. If people want to be martyrs, let 'em, and they'll get over it.

During the last 20 years more than \$130,000,000 capital has been invested in the cotton manufacturing industry in the southern states, and it is estimated that this year will see one-half the product of the cotton mills produced south of Mason & Dixon's line. In iron, coal and other industries there has been a tremendous increase in the south.

An edict was issued by the principal of the Omaha high school forbidding the use of mirrors of any kind in school hours. All the students' lockers were opened, and mirrors confiscated. The principal holds that too much time is given to the making of toilets by girls in school hours. He has forbidden the boys to wear sweaters to school and last year he barred shirtwaists and forbade the girls wearing short sleeves or rolling up their sleeves.

Lord Kitchener has given many reasons for his conviction that a soldier should never marry. His latest is that the terrible anguish of officers' wives was a proof that, like priests, soldiers ought to be celibates. Lord Kitchener said this recently to an officer's wife, who answered: "Then you think that my husband ought not to have married me?" To which Lord Kitchener replied graciously: "Thanks to you, I change my opinion for one case."

New York city pays annually \$337,807 for the rental of offices used by departments and bureaus. The biggest part of this sum goes to the Stewart building, \$142,350. In this former dry goods store are housed numerous executive heads. The department of finance alone pays over \$87,000 for quarters on six floors. The Park row building gets \$79,732. The splendid apartments of the borough president cost no less than \$31,682, while those of the commissioner of water supply, gas and electricity cost \$23,645.

The trustees of the Whittier homestead at Haverhill, Mass., which was burned recently, have voted to restore the building exactly according to the old designs. No damage was done to the immense central chimney, built of brick laid in clay 214 years ago, and the heavy oak timbers of the first story are still serviceable. A safety deposit hitherto unknown was found in a chimney recess. Most of the relics were saved by the great exertions of the woman in charge. Whittier's writing desk was originally used by his grandfather.

The Rock Island Railroad company has closed a deal for an office in New York city at a price that astonishes the natives. The location is a four-story building on the northeast corner of Fifth avenue and Thirty-fifth street. The lease has only three years to run and the rental is \$12,000 per annum. For the privilege of occupying the premises for the next three years at this rate the railroad pays a bonus of \$75,000, or \$25,000 a year. In other words, its annual rental for the next three years will be \$37,000 per annum.

The uses of photography are constantly extending. A western railroad now uses it as a substitute for written reports on construction work. For example, the progress of the work of changing a grade crossing or building a bridge is photographed at stated periods, and the photographs are preserved both as a record and as illustrations of method. Pictures are also taken of the way of material and of every mile of track, showing curves, grades, switches and crossings.

Ten million dollars will be spent by the Santa Fe in building a "short line" to the Pacific coast, and when it is done the line will be just five miles shorter than it is. For those five miles the Santa Fe is not paying \$2,000,000 apiece. Instead it is giving the whole \$10,000,000 for a single half mile saved on the journey. The half mile which the Santa Fe pays so well to avoid is between La Junta and Albuquerque. It is the 2,600 foot difference in altitude between Raton mountain, the highest point on the present line and Abo pass.

NOT THE RIGHT TRAIN.

Colorado Outlaws Expected to Get a Large Amount of Money Near Beshoar.

Trinidad, Col., Nov. 20.—The robber who was shot Tuesday night by Express Messenger Schriber, of Fort Worth, Tex., was abandoned by his four companions in their flight and was found in the brush not far from the scene of the attempted train robbery on the Colorado & Southern railroad near Beshoar, 12 miles south of Trinidad. The wounded man was brought to this city. He was shot in the stomach and died soon after being brought here. He has not been identified and refused to answer questions. The other four outlaws fled toward the southeast and have so far eluded pursuit. The country through which they will attempt to escape is wild, sparsely settled and extremely difficult for any not familiar with it to traverse.

Railroad men think the bandits intended to rob the Colorado & Southern pay car, carrying a large amount of money, which arrived here about an hour ahead of the northbound passenger train that was held up. It showed no marks of the battle except a few bullet holes in the door of the express car. It is believed the robbers were miners.

READY TO TORTURE HIM.

Indians of the Crow Wing Agency Captured a Railroad Brakeman Whom the Police Rescued.

Butte, Mont., Nov. 20.—Advices received from the Crow Wing agency last night say the death of a squaw there nearly caused an uprising. The Indian on her way was struck by a freight train and instantly killed. A brave who accompanied the woman summoned a number of his followers and they swooped down upon the trainmen, capturing the brakeman, whom they carried off to their camp. The Indian police were summoned and when they reached the tepees the excited braves were holding a war dance about their victim, who was bound to a tree, preparing to torture and burn him. The bucks objected to interference and for a time a clash was threatened, but the Indian police succeeded in rescuing the man.

AID FROM BRYAN?

Indiana Republicans Say the N-Branch Worked for the Defeat of the Hoosier Democratic Ticket.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 20.—It was due to the efforts of William Jennings Bryan and to the loyalty of his forces in Indiana more than to any other influence that the republican ticket received an increased plurality in the state at the recent election. This is a rather startling statement that emanates with all the marks of authority from the headquarters of the republican state committee. Although the author of the statement has up to the present time withheld his name, there has been an effort on the part of the leading republican politicians to prevent the written statement from being published.

Had to Storm a Tower.

Sindia, India, Nov. 20.—Col. Tonney, commanding the south column of the British expedition engaged in putting down the uprising of the Wazir tribesmen on the Afghan frontier, found a strong tower at Ganshah, held by six outlaws who refused to surrender. The shells from the British guns made little impression on the fort till evening, when the tower was stormed and all its defenders were killed.

Panama Canal Obstacles Removed.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Practically the last obstacle to the completion of negotiations for the Panama canal route has been removed. At all goes well the president will be able to incorporate in his message to congress work after next a positive statement to the effect that the United States is now in position where it can go ahead and begin actual operations on the interoceanic canal.

Kansas Election Law Invalid.

Atchison, Kan., Nov. 20.—Judge Hudson, in district court, decided that the new law permitting railroad men to vote when away from home on election day is unconstitutional. With absentee railroad men's vote Peter Laughlin, factionist, has a majority of five for the legislature; without it U. B. Sharpless, his republican opponent, has one majority.

Schley at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 20.—Kansas City extended a royal greeting to Rear Admiral Schley upon his arrival here Wednesday. He was escorted from the depot to the hotel by the Third regiment, Missouri's national guard. At night he was the guest of honor at the annual banquet of the Commercial club.

Bandits Hold Up a Gambling Den.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 20.—Two bandits held up a gambling den at Columbia Heights last night and secured \$1,943 from the score of players and the proprietors.

He Chose to Be Hanged.

Moab, Utah, Nov. 20.—Charles Bothe, alias "Dutch Charlie," the convicted wife murderer, has been sentenced at Monticello to be executed on December 29 in the state penitentiary at Salt Lake City. Bothe was given his choice of shooting or hanging and chose the former.

St. Joseph Convention Held.

St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 20.—The executive committee of the Convention Hall company reports that \$50,000 has been raised and that the auditorium would be built next season.

Lisbon Bank Robbed of \$162,000.

Lisbon, Nov. 20.—Thieves have broken into the underground strong rooms of the banking firm of Peluinho and have stolen a sum of \$162,000. One of the clerks of the bank has been arrested in connection with the robbery.

Cattle Perishing for Want of Grass.

Denver, Col., Nov. 20.—The Colorado Humane society yesterday received reports that live stock is perishing in various localities in this state where the drought of last summer left the ranges bare of grass.

The Best Missouri News

Louisiana's Venerable Couple.

Judge and Mrs. J. C. Fagg, of Louisiana, have just celebrated their fifty-fifth wedding anniversary. Judge Fagg is 80 and his wife 74. Judge Fagg practiced law 50 years. He retired several years ago, and now holds the position of postmaster of Louisiana. Judge Fagg was born in Virginia in sight of Monticello, Thomas Jefferson's home. In 1836 he came to Missouri with his father, who, with other Virginians, emigrated with their slaves. In 1844 he was sent to the legislature from Pike county. In 1853 he was chosen circuit judge, and in 1866 appointed a justice of the supreme court, serving three years. Two years ago he was the republican nominee for congress against Champ Clark.

Wages of Men and Women.

State Labor Commissioner Anderson has prepared statistics of the mercantile establishments in Missouri. The average monthly salary paid clerical help during 1901, all industries considered collectively, was as follows: Managers—Males, \$159; females, \$44. Foremen—Males, \$79; females, \$35. Bookkeepers—Males, \$99; females, \$43. Clerks—Males, \$50; females, \$38. Stenographers—Males, \$44; females, \$42.

Speaks for Missouri and Texas.

If Congressman Champ Clark, of the Ninth district, could have his way in the matter of nominations, either Francis M. Cockrell, of Missouri, or Joseph W. Bailey, of Texas, would be the democratic nominee for president in 1904. Congressman Clark asserts that Missouri has the greatest democratic representation in congress of any of the states, with Texas second.

Wouldn't Sign a Note.

John Robertson, of Kirkville, went to Brashear the other day and asked George Conkle, his father-in-law, to sign a note. Conkle refused, and Robertson shot him dead. Robertson then ran about a block to a lumber yard, followed by the constable, marshal and others, where he stabbed himself.

Eloped With a Negro.

Howard Hunter, a negro who eloped from Buncheon, Cooper county, with Mrs. Parish, a white woman, was arrested at Sedalia. Hunter says Mrs. Parish returned to her husband, hoping for forgiveness. The negro feared he would be lynched if taken back to Buncheon.

Its Own Coal Mine.

The Atlas Portland cement company has expert coal men in Ralls county with a view of buying one of the coal mines to secure fuel for use at the plant in Hannibal. About 40 cars of coal a day will be consumed at the plant when it is in operation.

More Pay for Prison Guards.

The state prison board voted to increase the salaries of the wall guards at the penitentiary from \$50 to \$55 per month, thus placing all the guards on the same salary basis. The increase in salaries effects about 30 men.

After Thirty-Five Years.

After a separation of 35 years George Richards, of California, held his six outlaws who refused to surrender. The shells from the British guns made little impression on the fort till evening, when the tower was stormed and all its defenders were killed.

Cannot Be too Careful.

Because their boss ordered them to "hurry up" eight members of a section gang struck at Pickering and refused to return to work. In these days bosses should be very careful how they address their men.

Sneeze Cost Him \$10.

While trying a case before Justice Burke at St. Joseph, Prosecuting Attorney Motter gave vent to a vociferous sneeze. This offended his honor and the prosecutor was fined \$10.

Boom for Mr. Folk.

Since the Butler trial at Columbia a boom has been started for Circuit Attorney Folk, of St. Louis, for governor on the democratic ticket. Folk is the prosecutor in all the St. Louis boodle cases.

Grocers and Butchers Unite.

The grocers, butchers and bakers of St. Joseph have formed a merger for the purpose of mutual protection. The body will present a garnishee bill at the next legislature.

Girl Attempted Suicide.

Miss Birdie Bailey, aged 13 years, attempted suicide at the home of her foster parents, J. D. Meador, near Armstrong, by taking creosote and coal oil.

Pleasant Hill Burned Bonds.

At a public meeting at the city hall, Pleasant Hill, \$23,000 of refunded bonds were burned.

Cost Him \$65.

Frank Smith, a farmer near Lexington Junction, went to Kansas City to see the sights. He went to the "north end" and at a place near Independence and Grand avenues he was robbed of \$65 by a woman.

To Prison Gates Alone.

Jefferson Home, of Callaway county, under sentence of two years in the state penitentiary for mule stealing, went to the penitentiary and gave himself up to Warden Woodbridge to begin his term.

Champ Clark's Plurality Increased.

The returns from the ten counties in the Ninth congressional district show that Champ Clark's plurality is more than 3,800 over Alonzo Tubbs, republican. This is an increase of more than 1,000 votes over 1900.

Pertle Springs Sold to a Lord.

Pertle Springs, a famous summer resort near Warrensburg, has been sold to an English lord for \$100,000. A new auditorium suitable for summer and winter entertainments will be built.

Line Definitely Located.

It is announced that the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific's St. Louis-Kansas City line has been definitely located from Windsor, westward to Henry county. Leaving Windsor, the road will run north and west to Leeton, paralleling the high line of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas through Leeton. The road will leave Warrensburg 12 miles and Holden two miles to the north, but will pass through Pleasant Hill, Cass county and thence to Kansas City. Work is being pushed by seven subcontractors between Warsaw and Colecamp, and will begin at once from Windsor west.

Frisco Route to Be Shortened.

A party of Frisco locating engineers were in camp near Rolla, surveying the cut-off that will be built from Dillon through Rolla. Dillon is the eastern terminus of the survey recently made in the efforts of the Frisco to reduce the distance between St. Louis and Springfield with the object of avoiding Dillon, Rolla and Dixon hills. If the grade can be reduced the distance between St. Louis and Springfield will be shortened 26 miles.

Refused to Charter a Bank.

Secretary of State Cook refused to issue a charter to Lawrence M. and J. Logan Jones to establish a private bank with \$10,000 in the Jones Dry Goods company's store at Kansas City. The secretary of state claims that in cities of 100,000 and over a bank must have \$100,000 capital. The Jones brothers have brought mandamus proceedings in the supreme court to compel the issuance of the charter.

Church Women Hushed Corn.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church, south, at Laddonia, is raising funds to complete the new church now building. John Hobson, a farmer, jokingly offered them a load of corn if they would gather it. One dozen of them hitched up a team and in a few hours had gathered the load, took it to town and sold it on the streets at auction to a grain merchant at 60 cents per bushel. The load netted them \$22.80.

This Lad Had Nerve.

Henry Roy, a 17-year-old boy employed in a laundry at Liberty, had his left arm completely torn off by the machinery in the laundry. The boy was alone at the time of the accident, but with great presence of mind, he held the bleeding arm tightly with his other hand and checked the flow of blood until a physician could be procured.

Hope to Unseat Butler.

It is announced that George D. Reynolds, who was defeated for congress in the Twelfth (St. Louis) district by James J. Butler on the face of the returns by over 7,000 majority, will contest the election on the ground of fraud. The conviction of Ed Butler, father of the congressman-elect, has encouraged Reynolds to contest.

King's Daughters and Sons.

The annual convention of the Missouri branch of the International Order of the King's Daughters and Sons was held at the Summit street Methodist church, Kansas City. The order comprises members of all denominations and was founded in the interests of religious work.

Through Several Counties.

The Arkansas, Springfield & Northwestern railroad is to be constructed from Jefferson city to Seligman, in a southwesterly direction through Cole, Macon, Camden, Dallas, Greene, Christian, Taney, Stone and Barry counties. It will pass through Springfield.

Masked Men Robbed Him.

Three masked men entered the home of W. S. Miller, five miles east of Mansfield, and took \$400.50. Miller bought a thrashing machine last season, and had collected this money to make his first payment on the machine.

Charter in Trouble Again.

Jacob Charter, a Springfield married man, is under arrest charged with assaulting Miss Bessie Singer, aged 19. Charter was arrested at Lebanon recently on a similar charge.

Whitcomb for Re-Election.

James H. Whitcomb, representative and representative-elect from Monroe county, speaker of the last house, is a candidate for re-election as speaker.

Davis Was Robbed of \$320.

Charles Davis, a sawmill operator near Kingston, was robbed of \$320 by a back driver in Kansas City. Davis was traveling to Oklahoma.

May Not Get Free Delivery.

Bad sidewalks threaten to cause Maryville to lose free mail delivery and to prevent Trenton from getting it.

Her Love Forgave Much.

Burnett Gregg was found guilty at Liberty of wronging Stella Moore under promise of marriage, and his punishment was fixed at two years in the penitentiary. The young man has been saved from serving the term in prison by the girl agreeing to marry him.

Declared to Be Legal.

The state supreme court has declared constitutional the law allowing a three-fourths jury verdict in civil cases.

Nine Priests at the Wedding.

Nine Catholic priests attended the wedding of Herman C. Peters, of Glasgow, and Mary Tihen at Jefferson City. The groom has two brothers who are priests and there were six other priests present who are relatives of the two families.

One of Missouri's Pioneers.

A. J. Hawkins and wife celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage at Sturgeon. Mr. Hawkins built the first blacksmith shop in Sturgeon 53 years ago.

PLEASED TO SEE HIM.

Memphis Gave Warm Welcome to President Roosevelt, Who Was There to Honor Gen. Luke E. Wright.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 20.—President Roosevelt and party arrived in the city Wednesday morning promptly at nine o'clock from Smedes, Miss. The president upon his arrival here was given an enthusiastic demonstration when he alighted from his car at the union depot. He was met by a large delegation of representative citizens with brass bands and escorts of police officers and detectives in plain clothes. The parade was at once formed and the long line swung into motion for the march through the city. Cannon stationed on the river front near the custom house boomed a salute of 21 guns. The line of march was first through the residence portion of the city to the custom house. In the business portion of the city the crowds and decorations increased, the principal buildings being gay with colors. Along Main street the sidewalks presented solid lines of people and the president was kept busy bowing his acknowledgments of greetings. The parade ended at the Hotel Gayoso, where the party alighted and an informal reception was held. Several hundred citizens shook hands with the president. Gen. Wright, who arrived in his native city Tuesday night, was also cordially greeted. At night a banquet was tendered to Gen. Wright, at which President Roosevelt was the principal speaker.

ON EACH OTHER'S NECKS.

Gen. Chaffee and Wheaton Hugget and Kissed Him They Met in a Chicago Banquet Hall.

Chicago, Nov. 20.—There was a touching demonstration of the comradeship of barrack and camp life at the banquet given here last night at the Union League club in honor of Gen. Adam B. Chaffee. The hero of El Caney and Gen. Lloyd Wheaton, conqueror of the Moros, had met for the first time since they parted in the jungles of Luzon, and, unabashed by the presence of the 450 guests, they showed the warmth of a soldier's greeting. Gen. Wheaton had been invited to sit with the guest of honor at the speaker's table, but modesty made him late. Gen. Chaffee saw him first as he threaded his way among the tables. He arose, and, reaching across the table, beckoned him to approach. Gen. Wheaton made his way around the board and Gen. Chaffee fell upon his neck without further ceremony. He threw his arm over the other's shoulder and hugged him, while Gen. Wheaton blushed modestly through his beard and dropped his head to hide the tears that coursed down his cheeks.

FASTING TO CURE ILLS.

Mrs. Gertrude Young Dies at Minneapolis After Forty Days' Abstinence from Food.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 20.—Following the death of Mrs. Gertrude Young yesterday, after a fast of 40 days, Coroner Williams last night decided to bring to the attention of the county attorney a cult which has lately gained a number of converts in Minneapolis and the chief theory of which is that cures for many ills lie in total abstinence from food. Dr. Linda Husfield Perry, who admits that she has no license to practice medicine, introduced the fact here.

A New Italian Princess.

Rome, Nov. 20.—Queen Helena was accouched of a daughter Wednesday morning. The new princess will be named "Mafalda." The child born to the king and queen is the second daughter, the first princess, Yolande Margherita, having been born at Rome on June 1, 1901. The accomplishment occurred a month earlier than was expected.

Roster of the Next House.

Washington, Nov. 20.—The unofficial list of members of the house of representatives in the Fifty-eighth congress, issued by Thomas H. McKee, journal clerk of the house, after every district has been truly accounted for, shows that they number 208 republicans and 178 democrats.

Is Gov. Ellet Bailey to Wed?

Seneca, Kan., Nov. 20.—William J. Bailey, the new governor of Kansas, will, according to persistent rumor, be married shortly to Miss Clara Williams, of Seneca. Miss Williams is the daughter of George W. Williams, president of the First national bank of Seneca and a reputed millionaire.

Fears Entertained for a Missing Man.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 20.—Ellis Payton, of this city, has been missing since October 2 and it is thought he has been foully dealt with. Payton is wealthy and had considerable money with him when he left here, over a month ago, for Oklahoma.

Amey's Throne Threatened.

Paris, Nov. 20.—The Bombay correspondent of the Rapid repeats the rumors that the brothers of the ameer are conspiring to overthrow him, and that civil war in Afghanistan is imminent.

Set for a Commission on a Wife.

Peoria, Ill., Nov. 20.—A jury yesterday held that Matthew Schmidt, a farmer living near Dunlap, must pay Joseph Collins \$50 commission for securing him a wife. Schmidt is wealthy and five weeks ago he asked Collins to get him a wife.

Fine Display of Apples.

St. Louis, Nov. 20.—The apple display at the American Apple Growers' congress is very fine, 40 distinct varieties being shown. Apples kept for two seasons and which are perfect attracted attention.

A Missionary 43 Years.

New York, Nov. 20.—Bishop James M. Thoburn, of the M. E. church, bade his farewell to India. Bishop Thoburn, in departing for a field in which he began his labors 43 years ago, said he expected to find the field very much changed.

A Male Team Found Drowning.

Perry, Okla., Nov. 20.—A team of mules attached to a buggy was found drowned in Long Branch creek, near Morrison. It is supposed the driver has been drowned.

EQUAL TO THE OCCASION.

An Invitation in Business Form That Met with an Acceptance in Kind.

A Baltimore woman, the belle of her set, was much surprised not long ago, says the New York Times, to receive an invitation of which the following is the substance: "Mr. Blank presents his compliments to Mrs. Dash, and requests the pleasure of her company at the theater Thursday evening next. 'Awaiting and hoping for an early and favorable reply, we are, yours very truly, Blank & Co.'" The writer of this remarkable effusion is a young business man who is a partner in a large furniture concern. He attends to a large proportion of the correspondence of the firm, and, of course, signs the firm's name thereto. So absorbed was he in business that he concluded his invitation with the stereotyped sentence above, and, to cap the climax, signed the firm's name to it. The fair recipient, however, appreciated the situation, and the young man was thunderstruck to receive a letter addressed to him personally, but containing the following reply to his invitation: "Messrs. Blank & Co.: Your favor of recent date to hand and contents noted. In reply will say we accept the proposition therein made and hold the goods ordered subject to yr. further instructions. Very respectfully, Miss Dash & Co." Explanations and apologies followed, and the invitation was duly accepted, but the matter was too good to be kept a secret, and for some time after life was made a burden to that young man. Even the messenger's query "to Mrs. Dash's business?" sullied to drive him frantic.

A TRULY GREAT IDEA.

Delightful Suggestion for the Improvement of the Football Game of Football.

The supporters of football are assembled in convention, says the Baltimore American. "Gentlemen," says the spokesman, "something must be done to add interest to the game. I regret to acknowledge that in recent years, despite our efforts to wound main and kill, the sport has dwindled in public favor. No doubt this is because of the increase in the number of wars, and the familiarity of the public with injuries from that cause; also because of the growth of the automobile and the fact, as I say, we must do something to put more ginger in the game. The point is, what shall we do?" Here a shaggy haired man arose in the rear of the hall and begged for a hearing. "Gentlemen," he said, "I represent the Russo-American society of anarchy, and I am also an enthusiastic football player. It occurs to me that if the ball were filled with dynamite instead of air it would be better."

Only Death Is Sure.

"Dolly," said the sick Mr. Hyroller to his little daughter, "has it occurred to you that papa might die and go to heaven?" "No," replied the child, "because I asked the doctor that very question."

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